

"BUSINESS" IN MISSISSIPPI.  
BY IRWIN J. ROSS.  
Why, how'd'y, Mah's'r Johnny! Is you gone to keepin' store?  
Well, sah, I is surprised! I neber heard of dat afore.  
Say, ain't you gwine to gib me piece o' good tobacco, please?  
I's long wid you in Georgia, time we all was refugees.  
I know'd you would; I alluz tells de people white an' black,  
Dat you's a real gen'l'man, and dat's de libin' fac'.  
Yes, sah, dat's what I tells 'em, an' it's nuffin' else but true.  
An' all de cullud people t'inks a mighty heap ob you.  
Look heah, sah; don't you want to buy some cotton? Yes, you do;  
Dere's oder parties wants it, but I'd rader sell to you.  
How much? Oh, jes' a bale—dat on de wagon in de street—  
Dis heah's de sample—dis is cotton mighty hard to beat!  
You'll fin' it on de paper what de offer's is dat's made;  
Dey's all de same seditions; half in cash an' half in trade—  
Dey's mighty low, sah—Come, now, can't you prove upon de rates  
Dat Bruders offers: only twelb an' seben-eight's?  
Lord; Mah's'r Johnny, raise it! Don't you know dat I's a frien'!  
An' when I has de money I is willin' for to spec'n?  
My custom's wuf a heap, sah; jes' you buy de bale an' see—  
Dere didn't neber nobody lose nuffin' off o' me.  
Now, what's de good ob gwine dar an' a-zaminin' de bale?  
When people trades wid me, dey alluz gits a homes' sale;  
I ain't no han' for cheatin'; I believes in actin' fair.  
An' everybody'll tell you dat dey alluz foun' me squar'.  
I isn't like some niggers; I declar' it is a shame  
Do way some ob 'em swin'les—what? de cotton ain't de same  
As dis dat's in de sample? Well, I'm blest, sah, if it is!  
Dis heah mus' be my brudder's sample—yes, sah, dis is his.  
If dat don't beat creation! Heah I've done been toin' roun'  
A sample diff' rent from de cotton! I—will—be—consound!  
Mah's'r Johnny, you mus' 'scuse me. Take de cotton as it stan's,  
An' tell me if you're willin' for to take it off my han's.  
Sho; neber min' de auger! taint no use to bore,  
De bale is all de same as dis heah place de baggin's tore;  
You oughtn't to go pullin' out de cotton dat away,  
It spiles de beauty ob de—what, sah! rocks in da, you say?  
Rocks in da' ar cotton? How de debil kin dat be?  
I packed dat bale mysef—hol' on a minnit, le' me see—  
My stars! I must be crazy! Mah's'r Johnny, dis is fine!  
I's gone an' haul'd my brudder's cotton in instead ob mine!  
IT'S A BOY!—One evening recently the friends of a married couple up in Chillicothe determined to give them a surprise party.  
To this end, twelve couple of young ladies, in their finest gowns, and with their hair dressed in the latest style, gathered at the house of the bride.  
At about 9 o'clock, as they came up to the door they saw the gentleman standing in the alley way with his overcoat on, smoking a cigar, and the parlor all lighted up. This struck them as rather singular, but the leader grabbed the door-knob, and they rushed hilariously in. The gas was burning brightly, and six dignified old ladies were sitting around the stove, looking as solemn as grand inquisitors.  
"Oh, my! where's Mattie?" shouted one exuberant young lady, sitting her basket on the piano.  
"She's up stairs," said an old lady, looking over her spectacles with solemn acrimony.  
"Let's have her down," screamed half a dozen girls in chorus, as they made a break for the hall.  
"Here, girls, don't go up there!" and the old lady's made a hasty attempt to check the proposed raid.  
"Why, what on earth's the matter here anyhow?" inquired the impatient darlings.  
"Well, I believe it's a boy!"  
"Oh, let's go!"  
And that company of nice young men and women moved away like a soap bubble in a hurricane, and the girls never stopped for bean or baskets, but stuffed their handkerchiefs in their mouths to hold their breath down until they were safe behind their own doors, and not a girl in the Fourth Ward knows where Mattie lives.  
WHAT'S IN A NAME.—The new editor of the New York World, Wm. Henry Hurlbert, is a South Carolinian by birth, and a brother of Gen. Stephen Hurlbut, a Republican Representative from Illinois. The latter insists on writing the family name Hurlbut, while Wm. Henry adopts Hurlbert as the old English family name. Gen. Hurlbut distinguished himself as an officer in the last Indian war in Florida, and was a brigadier in the late civil war.  
"Ow's Mother?" asked the Prince of Wales after he had kissed his wife and babies all around. "The Hempress is well," replied Alexandra. "Hempress be 'anged," retorted the Prince. "She ought to 'ave knocked around Hindia as Hi 'ave, and then she might talk about bein' Hempress." And he gave his head a contemptuous toss.  
"Say, missus, your skirt is comin' down. It looks bad, an' if you'll j'st step inside dis doorway I'll pin it up for you," said a colored woman to a lady in Louisville the other day. After thanking the old woman for her kindness, the lady went on her way, and soon discovered that her pocket-book had been stolen.  
"What have you got in your carpet-bag?" asked one clergyman of another, at a railroad station. "Dried tongue," was the reply. He had several manuscript sermons in it.  
One of the clowns in a new show puts this conundrum: "Why is the Centennial like home? Because it's the dearest spot on earth."

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Fish Dam, 1:45 p.m. 11:55 a.m. 8:55 a.m. 4:55 a.m.  
Shelton, 2:15 p.m. 12:25 p.m. 9:25 a.m. 5:25 a.m.  
Lyles Ford, 2:45 p.m. 12:55 p.m. 9:55 a.m. 5:55 a.m.  
Strothers, 3:15 p.m. 1:25 p.m. 10:25 a.m. 6:25 p.m.  
Alston, 3:45 p.m. 1:55 p.m. 10:55 a.m. 6:55 p.m.  
Close Connection made with Greenville and Columbia Trains—Stages at Trains on arrival in Spartanburg, to convey Passengers to Glenis or Cherokee Springs same evening.  
**W. W. DAVIES,**  
**Superintendent.**  
June 9, 1876. 23

**Greenville and Columbia R. R.**  
CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.  
Passenger Trains run daily, Sundays excepted, connecting with Night Trains on South Carolina Railroad up and down. On and after MONDAY, May 29th, the following will be the schedule:  
UP.  
Leave Columbia at.....7:45 a.m.  
Leave Alston.....8:30 a.m.  
Leave Newberry.....9:15 a.m.  
Leave Cokesbury.....10:00 a.m.  
Leave Belton.....10:45 a.m.  
Arrive at Greenville.....11:30 a.m.  
DOWNS.  
Leave Greenville at.....8:05 a.m.  
Leave Belton.....8:50 a.m.  
Leave Cokesbury.....9:35 a.m.  
Leave Newberry.....10:20 a.m.  
Leave Alston.....11:05 a.m.  
Arrive at Columbia.....11:50 p.m.  
ANDERSON BRANCH AND BLUE RIDGE DIVISION.  
UP.  
Leave Wallhalla.....6:15 a.m. Arrive.....7:15 p.m.  
Leave Perryville.....7:00 a.m. Arrive.....6:40 p.m.  
Leave Pendleton.....7:50 a.m. Arrive.....6:00 p.m.  
Leave Anderson.....8:40 a.m. Arrive.....5:50 p.m.  
Arrive at Belton.....9:40 a.m. Leave.....4:00 p.m.  
General Superintendent.  
**THOMAS DODDMEAD,**  
JABEZ NORTON, JR., General Ticket Agent.  
June 9, 1876. 23

**John Rodger**  
WOULD respectfully inform his friends and former customers that he has  
**Grocery Store,**  
AT THE  
**OLD STAND,**  
And is now receiving a completely New Stock of  
**GROCERIES,**  
Hardware and Cutlery,  
**Boots and Shoes,**  
STOVES,  
TOBACCO—All Qualities,  
Warranted HAVANA Cigars,  
And all other articles found in a complete Grocery Store.  
**My Tin Shop**  
Is still in operation, and I am ready to do all kinds of Tin Work, from welding a coffee pot to making the largest article usually constructed of Tin. All work executed in the most workmanlike manner.  
**My Old Friend**  
Feeling thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore given me, I respectfully invite my old friends, and as many new ones as feel inclined, to call and examine my stock. It will be my endeavor in the future, as in the past, to so conduct my business that purchasers will find it to their interest to buy of me.  
JOHN RODGER.  
May 9 18 1f

**NEW FIRM.**  
**GEE & HUMPHRIES'**  
**Cheap Store**  
IN THE  
**NEW HOTEL BUILDING.**  
MESSRS. REBER T. GEE and M. M. HUMPHRIES, having formed a partnership for the purpose of conducting a Mercantile business in Union, are receiving their stock of entirely New Goods, in the store of the NEW HOTEL, which they offer to the people of Union County at as low prices as they can be put. Our stock consists of  
**DRY GOODS,**  
**GROCERIES,**  
**BOOTS, SHOES, HATS**  
**Crockery Ware and WOODEN WARE**  
with all other articles of Merchandise.  
We offer fine Home-Made Shoes and Boots at the lowest prices.  
**LADIES SHOES**  
made to order and warranted.  
**PRINTS.**  
**BROWN AND BLEACHED**  
**Homespun, PLAID OSNABURGS,**  
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.  
**NOTIONS, HOSIERY, &c., Cheap.**  
**GEE & HUMPHRIES.**  
Oct. 1 39 1f

**R. F. STOKES,**  
WITH  
**J. A. Young & Son**  
**NORTH TRYON STREET,**  
**CHARLOTTE, N. C.**  
I TAKE pleasure in informing my friends that I am established with Messrs. J. A. Young & Son, in Charlotte, N. C., where I will be happy to meet and serve any persons who may favor me with a call.  
We are now receiving and opening the largest and most carefully selected  
**Stock of Clothing**  
to be found in any Market south of the whole-sale Mart. The Stock presents every variety of Style and Grade of  
**Business and Dress Suits**  
and under-clothing, for Gentlemen, that can be asked for, and it is the purpose of the proprietors to sell their Goods at  
**SHORT PROFITS.**  
If not convenient to visit Charlotte, I will give my personal attention to making selections for any orders that my friends may entrust to me.  
R. F. STOKES.  
Oct. 16 42 1f

**CRACKERS.**  
Soda, Corn Meal, Lemon Snaps, Biscuits, SWEET WINE, FANCY NIC NAC, Vanilla Cream, Strawberry, Ginger Snaps, NON PAREIL, LEMON PIC NIO, Lemon Cream, Ginger Snaps, Cream, Cakes, TEA CAKES, JUMBLE, Sugar Cakes, &c., at  
**B. F. RAWLS & CO.**  
NO. 1 STORE.  
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